

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2000-0135-C - ORDER NO. 2000-805

SEPTEMBER 27, 2000

IN RE: Application of Maxcess, Inc. for a Certificate)	
of Public Convenience and Necessity to)	ORDER GRANTING
Provide Resold and Facilities-Based Local)	REQUEST TO
Exchange and Interexchange)	WITHDRAW TARIFFS
Telecommunications Services within the State)	
of South Carolina.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") by way of a request from Maxcess, Inc. ("Maxcess" or the "Company") that the Commission grant the Company an extension of time to file its long distance and local tariffs. Additionally, the Company requests permission to withdraw its tariffs which were submitted by transmittal dated July 20, 2000. More specifically, Maxcess requests an extension of time to file its long distance tariff until after the Commission has received and considered its request for Alternative Regulatory treatment. Furthermore, the Company requests an extension of time to file its local tariff until after the Commission has received and considered its request for Flexible Regulatory treatment and also until after the Company's interconnection agreement(s) have been filed and approved by the Commission. As of the day the Company filed its request to withdraw its tariffs from the Commission, Maxcess had not yet begun operating in South Carolina, and the Company had no customers as of the day the Company filed its request. Additionally, Maxcess had not offered service under the rates and terms of the tariffs that were previously filed with the Commission. Moreover, according to the Company's request, it has no plans of offering service under the rates and terms of the tariffs that were previously filed with the Commission.

We find Maxcess' request reasonable and grant the Company's request to withdraw its tariffs filed by transmittal dated July 20, 2000. We also grant the Company's request for an extension of time to file its long distance tariff until after we have received and considered the Company's request for Alternative Regulatory treatment. Additionally, we grant the Company's request for an extension of time to file its local tariff until after the Commission has received and considered its request for Flexible Regulatory treatment and also until after the Company's interconnection agreement(s) have been filed and approved by the Commission.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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